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of pending prior application serial no. 09/965,621, filed September 25, 2001 (list only immediate
prior application).

Title: PAAD DOMAIN-CONTAINING POLYPEPTIDES, ENCODING NUCLEIC
ACIDS, AND METHODS OF USE

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No abandonment of, or termination of proceedings, has occurred in the above-identified prior
application.

1. X An application based on the prior application as filed and containing no new
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 1 page application cover sheet
 138 pages of specification (includes claims and abstract)
 10 sheets of drawing(s).
2. X 9 pages of a copy of the oath or declaration as originally filed on December
3, 2001, in prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)), U.S. serial no. 09/965,621,
filed September 25, 2001, is enclosed.
3. A signed statement DELETING inventor(s) named in the prior application (37
CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b)) is attached.
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 computer readable copy of sequence listing
 X paper copy of sequence listing, pages 1 through 59
 X Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821 (f) and (g)
 X Request to Use Computer Readable Form of Sequence Listing From
Another Application
 Other:

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5. ☒ Incorporation by Reference: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under item no. 2 of this form, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference herein.
6. ☐ Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on _____ under 37 CFR 1.116 in the prior application.
7. ☒ A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
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 - a. ☐ A small entity statement is enclosed.
 - b. ☒ A small entity statement was filed in prior application serial no. 09/965,621, and such status is still proper and desired.
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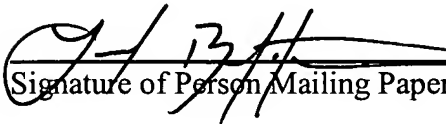
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